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Apart from References B1 and B2, all of the references are in the English language, so that no statement of their relevance is required. Reference B1 describes a process for the fabrication of granules of a product in which the product is liquefied, formed into a laminar jet (41 in Figure 2), surrounded by a similar laminar jet of a second material, which is in turn surrounded by a fluid 18. The composite jet is subjected to vibration to cause it to break up into composite particles 53 containing both materials.

Reference B2 describes an HF (presumably high frequency, using the English abbreviation) image reproducing apparatus characterized in that a three- or single-channel miniature HF-receiver, which is provided with an LED-RGB triad or a single LED, is disposed on a Faraday cage mask.

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